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NOTES REQUIRE CAREFUL STUDY

Reply May Not Be Sent To England For Some Time

State Department Will Stand By The Position It Has Taken

Wasnington, Aug. 5 .- A considerable | assertion that their practices in preperiod of time is likely to elapse be- venting trade with Germany via neufore the United States replies to the British defense of its practices in interfering with neutral trade, contained | tions of the right of blockade that it in several notes from that government. Frust be effective and must bear equal

While it is considered desirable that the British contentions be answered the notes received will require careful ditions. study. The data prepared at the department before the notes were received will have to be gone over again and revised.

It is the present intention of the administration not to yield an inch to the British argument. While it is admitted that the British government has made an able presentation of its case and has offered much reasoning that is plausible, the administration intends to stand firm for the position it has already taken in reference to the British practices. It is therefore thought wise that the British government be informed that this is the lact as soon as possible. Another reason for desiring to expedite the reply to Great Britain is that the Germans are openly declaring that their attitude toward the demands of the United States in the submarine issue will be largely governed by the character of the next American note to Great Britain on the question of British interference with neutral trade.

There are many indications that the note to be sent to Great Britain on this subject will not meet the German view of what that communication should be. While the United States is determined to adhere to its contention that the British proceedings are illegal, this government draws a sharp distinction between the controversy with Germany and that with Great Britain. It is held at the state department that the issue with Great Britain is merely a legal controversy, both governments agreeing as to the program the principal feature of his principles and disagreeing only as to annual address to congress when it in Mexico and by his legal advisers in ment this afternoon was called to vision of the appraising of 150,000 the conformity of certain British acts assembles in the fall. It became with those principles.

the United States on the question of has given it since his arrival here. the controversy with Great Britain in- understood that they bore upon the volves only property.

United States will make in reply to president when he returns to Washthe British notes has developed here. ington-It will seek to controvert the British

tral countries is in conformity with the principles of the right of blockade.

It is one of the fundamental condily on all neutrals before it is entitled to recognition by neutrals. The United States will contend that the British as quickly as possible, it is admitted blockade meets neither of these con-

BULLETIN IS OUT

Simplified Spelling Advocates Defend

Russian and Polish Names. New York, Aug. 5 .- The simplified spelling bulletin is out with complete details of the recent conquests of altered typography, Dr. Melvil Dewey, on the bulletin's own showing, has sacrificed two letters of his first name. The simplified spellers take occasion to defend Przemysl, because, after all the Poles pronounce it that way. Even chrzsczcaszczsz, Polish for "beetle, is phonetic and all right, it is argued.

No less than 106 colleges of various sorts approve the "amelioration" of English spelling, it is announced. One hundred newspapers and periodicals, from the Literary Digest to the Arcadia (Kan.) Sunlight, rejoice in spellue" and "eny" and such like ameliorations. But so far the simplified spellers count all those as true adherents thorofare, program, prolog, catalog, decalog and pedagog.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Will Be Featured by the National Defense Program.

Cornish, N. H., Aug. 5.—President Wilson will make the national defense known he already has the outline of to yield to the proposal about to be In addition to the diplomats and Sec-In the dispute with Germany, the this program worked out in his mind latter government has never satisfied as a result of the ten days study he C nations of South America and Bo- York, who has been in Mexico as an figured will consume six months' time.

one concerning human life, whereas tary of the Navy Daniels, and it was general plans of the reports to be One point in the argument which the made by the two secretaries to the

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION HAS SEVERAL CONTENDERS

New York, Aug. 5.—Five cities are up have risen San Francisco, St. Louis, more-Buffalo and Kansas City-are A few months ago any one of them would quickly have said Chicago, but the situation has changed consider-

One reason for the ambition to be the convention city next year is the fact that the convention without doubt will rank with the most spectacular gatherings of its kind ever

Chicago is really the national convention city. It wants the 1916 con-clave. It expected no opposition, but rising waters.

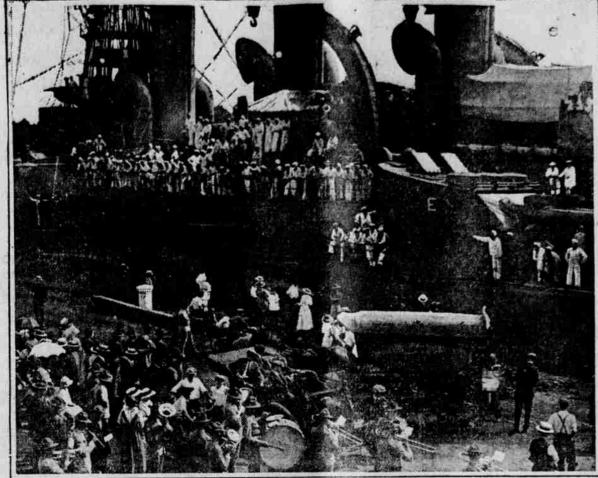
fighting fiercely to get the Republican Cincinnati and Philadelphia. San convention of 1916. Two Francisco is said to be ready to raise a larger sum for the national commitpreparing to enter the battle. The Retee than any of the other places. publican leaders have no idea yet | Twelve eastern cities are said already where the great gathering will be held. to have pledged themselves to the Golden Gate city.

the novelist, died at Zeist, Holland. He was born in Holland Aug. 15, 1858.

Lad Drowns In Run. Lima, O., Aug. 5 .- Waldo Good, eight, son of John Good of Elida, was suit in promisenous fighting into Ari- send him to this island." The overdrowned in Pigeon run while helping

AMERICAN MARINES VIGOROUSLY

PUTTING DOWN HAITIAN REVOLT



TO

tions from Washington to restore or Port au Prince to Cape Haitlen, 169 in the northern part of the republic. der in Haiti, Rear Admiral Caperton miles distant, to bring about the dis-

Acting vigorously on his instruct has sent a special commission from

banding of the revolutionary forces

Y-SEVEN PERISHED IN THE ERIE FLOOD

Erie, Pa., Aug. 5.—Erie has listed week to turn Jver the debris. wreckage-strewn path through the But little impression has been made on the vast amount of wreckage, piled in places 100 feet high and believed by the coroner and others to conceal ters of Mill creek, sent out of its ing school "scool, humorous "humor- as many more victims. The work of bank by a cloudburst and the bursting recovery will be slow. It may take a of the Glenwood dam,

Property loss of \$3,000,000 was estimated by Fire Chief McMahon after heart of the city swept by the flood. he had received reports from big manufacturing plants in the flood zone. He said that 300 houses and 50 store buildings were demolished by the wa- sponsible for their actions.

who merely acquiesce in the new spelling of the "twelve words," tho, eltho, thru, thruout, thoro, thoroly, cotalog. ON MEXICAN SITUATION

Washington, Aug. 5 .- Efforts are tions south of the border. being made by supporters of Carranza Washington to persuade the first chies order by Secretary of State Lansing. Pieces of property and will have unmade by the United States, the A. B. retary Lansing. Paul Fuller of New men to assist in the work, which it is livia, Uruguay and Guatemala, that he envoy of President Wilson, was in atprinciple. Finally, the administration The president received letters from lay down his arms and enter into tendance. The situation was disregards the issue with Germany as Secretary of War Garrison and Secre- peace negotiations with the other fac- eussed at length.

THE MEXICAN BORDER

Nogales, Ariz., Aug. 5.—Following | The United States troops began pahis attack upon the city, General Petown of Nogstes.

In defiance of orders of his chief, ed States, the Sonora chieftain, after threatening the town several days with aeroplane bombs and notes, began firing on the place and pushing his way rapidly into the city. At least one bullet from the Mexican side fell over the international line, but did no

London, Aug. 5 .- Maarten Maartens, ican city attempted to flee to the Ari- utter barrenness and desolation of the zona side of the line, but were held place. Upon getting into the ship's gig back by Maytorena officials. American after taking leave of the civil and miltroops hurriedly took positions in or- itary authorities of the island Wellingder to be able to protect American ton said to the governor. "If I had an citizens in case the battle should re- enemy whom I wished to bury alive I'd operation resulting from a fall in zona territory. These troops have or- throw of Napoleon gave him the "eneders to "repel firing" that may result my" and the wish, and he did not for-

trolling the border with machine guns. lias Calles, the Carranza commander, They reported that 150 of the Maytosteadily pressed in upon the Mexican renaistas deserted and fied across the He admits, so the police say, taking Ine into Arizona. Later Calles began falling back, the Maytorena forces Carranza, and warning from the Unit- having rallied. About 100 dead and wounded are in the Nogales (Sonora) hospital as a result of the fighting.

Napoleon's Ocean Prison.

The iron duke was responsible for Napoleon's exile to St. Helena, Returning from India in 1806, Wellington's ship touched at St. Helena, and the Noncombatants in the besieged Mex- soldier was heard to remark upon the get the place.

PHYSICIANS

Cedar Point, O., Aug. 5.—Deciding to cooperate with the state board of charities in its investigation of charges that babies have been placed in homes by physicians, the Ohio state medical board decided to notify physicians that they would be held re-

Dayton, Aug. 5. - The Miami conservance court named S. M. Goodman of Hamilton, Charles Kiser of Piqua and J. Edward Sauer of Dayton as the board of appraisers for the district. The conference at the state depart- These men will have direct superder their charge between 100 and 150

BLAMES MAN

Columbus, Aug. 5.-On her deathbed Miss Ella Schmidt, forty, declared that bichloride of mercury was administered to her a week ago by George A. Daniels, forty-seven, married, to forestall maternity. Daniels is being held pending a post-mortem. the poison to Miss Schmidt, but de-

Plain City, O., Aug. 5 .- Marteen Wolpert, seventeen, died during an which his right arm was broken and he was injured internally. The accident occurred when Wolpert slipped in jumping from a farm wagon.

WILL CONTEST DACIA RULING

United States Objects to Seizure of Vessel.

PREPARES PROTEST TO FRANCE

Will Uphold Contention That It Had The Right to Permit Registry of German Owned Vessel After Declaration of War-Cargo Not Involved In Prize Court Decision, as Safe Passage Was Guaranteed by England.

Washington, Aug. 5. - Announceent from Paris that a French prize court had confirmed the seizure of the American steamer Dacia as a fair prize found the state department preparing to protest the decision, which carries with it forfeiture of the vessel. It is planued to make this a test case of the right of a neutral country to grant registry to a belligerent owned merchant ship.

The Dacia's cotton cargo is not involved. Before the Dacia sailed from day. Galveston last spring for Rotterdam, Creat Britain announced that the cargo, consigned for Bremen, would not be detained, the announcement being binding upon France. The French government purchased the cotton salient by encircling movements from through a special appropriation and first payments to its owner were made at the state department.

The issue in the Dacia case is the right of the United States government | tal and those of Lomza and Ostrolento permit registry under its flag of a ka, to the northeast and Ivangorod to vessel formerly owned by the Ham- the southeast. burg-American Steamship company, a German corporation, but declared to bave been sold to an American citizen. The British government, which has fenses of Lomza, that the Narew has sanctioned such transfers in wartime, been crossed near Ostrolenka; that, could not consistently seize the Dacia France has always held that the transfer of a merchant ship to a neutral rower must have been effected at least thirty days before the cutbreak of hostilities in order to secure recognition by belligerents.

At the beginning of the present war the United States served notice upon the belligerents that as they had not consented to observe the unratified declarations of London as a whole, this government would not be bound by them, but would stand on the general principles of international law in dealing with questions of neutra! tion of the Dacia will rest on those principles.

The Worm. The Meek One-My wife says I'm a "worm." The Friend-Why don't you retaliate? The Meek One-Why, if I "turned" she'd be sure of it.-Puck.

LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

EAST BUFFALO, Aug. 5. Cattle—Prime steers, \$6.55 0 10 30; ship-ping, \$8.75@9 75; butchers, \$7.25@9 50; helfers, \$5.50@8 75; cows, \$5.50@7 00; helfers, \$5.50@8 75; cows, \$5.50@7 00; hulls, \$5@7 50; calves, \$1.50@12.

Sheep and Lambs—Yearlings, \$4 5000 to the second in two datties of three days. State of three days to the second in the second i

7 55; plgs, 56 75 97 75. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$6 10@7; lambs, \$6 75 92 40. Peccipts—Cattle, 16,000; hogs, 28,000;

sheep and lambs, 12,000. Hoga-Yorkers, \$8 95; heavies, \$6 75; mediums, \$7 70; lights and pigs, \$8 15;

and lambs, 1,000; calves, 150.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 5.

Cattle—Prime fed steers, \$9 50@9 75; choice fat steers, \$9 20@9 35; helfers, \$7 65; calves, \$12.

Hogs—Heavies \$7 15@7 25; light Yorkers and pigs, \$8 15@9 10; heavy Yorkers, \$10.

ers and pies, \$2 and \$3 10@8 15.
Sheep and Lambs — Top sheep, \$7 15;
top lambs, \$9 10.
Heccipts—Hogs, 2,500; sheep and lambs,

Receipts 100. 60; calves, 100. CINCINNATI, Aug. 5. Sheep and Lambs-Sheep, \$3 2566;

BOSTON, Aug. 5. Wool-Ohio and Fennsylvania fleeces: Delaine washed, 24%55c; half blood comb-ing, 38%33c; quarter blood combing, 37 & 38c; delaine unwashed, 29%30c.

TOLEDO, Aug. 5. Wheat, \$1 15; corn, 85c; oats, new eld 60c; clover seed, \$8 50.

HAS FALLEN

The City Finally Occupied By Germans

Official Announcement Made By Berlin

Berlin Claims Russians Have Been Driven Back to Advanced Defenses of Lomza and That Austrians Have Captured Portions of Fortress of Ivangorod-Von Mackensen Continues Advance.

Berlin, Aug. 5-Warsaw has fallen and German troops have entered city, it was officially announced to-

London, Aug. 5 .- After having tried for three weeks to force the Russians. the north and pressure from the west, the Austro-Germans have commenced

Berlin claims that the Russians have been driven back to the advanced dedriven out of their Blonie positions, the Russians have fallen back fifteen miles into the outer lines of Warsaw, which the Bavarians under Prince Lecoold are attacking, and that the Austrians have captured the western part o' the fortress of Ivangorod.

Thus, what should prove a decisive battle for the Polish capital has begun

In the meantime Field Marshal Von Mackensen is slowly advancing from the southeast between the Vistula and the Bug, in an effort to cut off the making a leisurely exit from Warsaw rights. The protest against condemna-Von Buelow, in his wider encircling. movement through Courland, has reached Kupischki, some fifty mlles west of Dvinsk, on the Vilna-Petroprad railway.

Although the operations of Von-Mackensen and Von Buelow appear to offer the most dangerous threats tothe retiring Russian armies, the Russian general staff is paying more attention to Field Marshal Von Hindenburg, who has been trying, with more Hogs—Heavy, \$7 10@7 75; mixed, \$8@ ing the most stubborn resistance, and \$25; Yorkers, \$8 25@8 50; pige, \$8 20@ according to an official dispatch from Shein and Lamba, Youthers, \$4 50@5 50. Petrograd in two battles of three days.

Cattle-Native beef steers, \$6 20@10 30; western steers, \$6 50@5 15; cows and helfers, \$3 20@9 25; calves, \$8@11 50, Hors-Light, \$7 20@7 85; mixed, \$6 40 @7 75; heavy, \$6 20@7 25; rough, \$6 20@ 7 55; pigs, \$6 75@7 75.

Drug Victim a Suicide.

Huntington, W. Va., Aug. 5 .- The Cattle—Choice fat steers, \$8 25@9: burcher steers, \$6 25@8; heifers, \$6 50@ burg, Ky., to commit suicide by steycalves, \$10 10@11 50. flyer No 2.

mediums, \$7 70; lights and pags, \$2 10; roughs, \$6; stags, \$5 50. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$3@5 50; lambs, \$8@8 50. Receipts—Cattle, 100; hogs, 1,500; sheep and lambs, 1,000; calves, 150. PITTSBURGH, Aug. 5.

Cincinnati, Aug. 5 .- Internal Reve-Cattle—Steers, 35 68 50; hefers, 35 25 ps 50; cows, 32 25 66 50; calves 35 50 61; hefers, 35 50 61; he eral revenue men in his district had contributed to the campaign of Conlambs, \$5@9 40.

Receipts—Cattle, 800; hogs, 4,100; sheep and lambs, 8,200.

contributed to the campaign of Congressman John W. Langley of Kentucky, a Democrat, and the report rectucky, a Democrat, and the report recemmended the dismissal of one and the suspension of three others. Guager George Weitzel was recommended for dismissal; Edward Felix, a sixty-day suspension, and A. W. Search and T.L. K. Thurber, thirty days each.